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Antonio J. GRILLO-LÓPEZ

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Refractory B-Cell Lymphoma (as amended)

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Applicant:

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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## NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31(a)

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed 7 December 2007 finally rejecting claim 7.

Applicant petitions under § 1.136(a) to extend the period for response to the final rejection by two months, to and including 7 May 2008. In view of the extension, the present notice of appeal is timely.

Applicant requests that the Director charge the extension fee of \$460 (§ 1.17(a)(2)) and the appeal fee of \$510 (§ 41.20(b)(1)), as well as any other fees required to render this notice timely or proper, to our **Deposit Account no. 18-1260**.

Respectfully submitted,

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